

## REDUCED TO ASHES.

Several Buildings Burned at Atlantic City.

ATLANTIC CITY, Aug. 18.—Another big conflagration started here, and before the fire had been put under control, had done damage to the amount of \$75,000. The fire originated in the Grand Opera House, which is situated in the busiest portion of the city. Officer Whelan discovered the blaze in the playhouse and turned in the alarm, but before the arrival of the fire engine the opera house was in a blaze, the shell-like nature of the building aiding the flames in their course.

Within 15 minutes after the alarm had been sent in, the rear portion of the opera house fell in with a crash, which sent sparks flying far over the western portion of the city and burning through the canvas of Schaeffer's garden, over a square away.

The flames communicated to a small building in the rear of the opera house and eat it up like so much tinder. A building adjoining the theater, and belonging to Louis Kuehnle, was burned on the side and rear, the occupants barely having time to escape with their lives.

In the meantime the firemen were making noble efforts to save the city hall with its treasure of municipal papers. It was thought for a time that the place could be saved, but when the opera house building finally gave way, that structure caught fire and was soon reduced to ashes.

The Pennsylvania railroad sheds next caught and about 145 feet of the shed was destroyed.

The vault in the city hall, containing the charter and many valuable papers, has not been opened.

Among the more important losses are: Grand Opera House \$20,000, insured \$2,000; Louis Kuehnle \$8,000, insured \$3,000; city hall \$80,000; Italian statuary on exhibition in the opera house and belonging to A. Giovanni of New York, \$5,000.

Eight prisoners, five of them women, were removed from the jail, which was in danger.

The fire is supposed to have been of incendiary origin.

## ANOTHER TRAIN HELD UP.

The Robbers Believed to Have Made a Big Haul.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 18.—The Atlantic express of the St. Louis and San Francisco train No. 4, due to arrive here at 6:30 a. m., was held up at 3:10 yesterday morning at St. James, 100 miles southwest of here, by two men and the expresscar robbed.

The express service on this road is in the hands of the Wells Fargo company, and as most of their business is through business and of an important character, the haul is believed to be a large one.

E. D. Ferguson, the messenger in charge of the car, is unable to give any estimate of the amount secured.

How much the robbers got is not known, as the express company's employees refuse to talk. It seems two men got on board the train at Rolla tank, a watering station, hiding between the tender and the expresscar. When two miles from St. James they cleared away some chickencoops and other matter on the front of the platform and forced their way through the front door of the car. Once inside, and before the surprised messenger could collect himself, they overpowered him, took his revolver away, and in a few moments they compelled him to open the way safe, from which they abstracted the valuables.

A sharp pull on the bellcord brought the engine to a halt; the robbers opened the side door of the car and, jumping out, made their escape in a northerly direction, firing a few shots as they left the car to cow the trainmen and passengers. The train was run to St. James, from which point the officials of the express company and road were advised.

Posses immediately started from St. James and Rolla junction in pursuit. Neither of the robbers were masked. They were shabbily dressed. They wore beards, which may have been false. Messenger Ferguson reported to General Agent J. T. Connor, but he refused to say a word to reporters regarding the robbery.

## COLLISION OF TRAINS.

No One Killed but a Number of People Injured.

DUBUQUE, Ia., Aug. 18.—The south and eastbound Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul passenger train struck a switching Illinois Central freight train at South Junction, one mile below this city. The force of the collision threw the engine, baggagecar and three coaches down an embankment to the river's edge. The chaircar and the sleeping-cars remained on the track. No one was fatally hurt.

The following were injured: George Ullman, Schieffner Grove, Ill.; H. F. Young, Patch Grove, Wis.; Samuel P. Skemp, Dubuque, freeman; A. Geering, Freeman, S. D.; John Saggerty, trainman, Dubuque; Mrs. M. A. McGillivray, Herrington, Kan.; Miss Emma Doolittle, Madison, S. D.; Mrs. M. Groese, Cincinnati; Miss Kate Murphy, Woonsocket, R. I.; and C. C. Brapard, Bryant, S. D.

## DESPERADO CAPTURED.

The Yellow Springs Bandit Arrested and is Now in Jail.

YELLOW SPRINGS, O., Aug. 18.—Bill Whaley was captured here in a hayloft of a stable on the premises of a colored man named Shrodes, near the Christian church. Constable Hamilton, with a posse of citizens, surrounded the stable and compelled him to surrender at the muzzle of several shotguns.

The citizens are greatly relieved on account of the capture of this desperado.

Whaley is wanted for murderous assault on Farmer Hopping, and is suspected of knowing something about three murders.

## HARDWARE STORE BURNED.

EAST LIVERPOOL, O., Aug. 18.—The 4-story brick building in the Diamond block, owned and occupied as a hardware store by George Gaston, was damaged by fire to the amount of about \$30,000; insured.

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## THE MARKETS.

Review of the Grain and Cattle Markets For August 17.

Cincinnati.

Wheat—New, 55¢@56¢. Corn—48¢@50¢. Cattle—Select butchers, \$3 85¢@4 10¢; fair to good, \$3 00¢@3 75¢; common, \$2 00¢@2 8¢. Hogs—Selected heavy and prime butchers, \$5 40¢@5 50¢; fair to good packing, \$5 15¢@5 35¢; common to rough, \$4 60¢@5 10¢. Sheep—\$2 00¢@2 25¢. Lambs—\$2 00¢@2 25¢.

Pittsburg.

Cattle—Prime, \$3 75¢@4 75¢; good, \$4 00¢@4 50¢; good butchers, \$3 75¢@4 25¢; rough fat, \$3 10¢@3 30¢; fair light steers, \$2 90¢@3 15¢; good fat cows and heifers, \$2 50¢@2 90¢; fresh cows, \$3 00¢@3 40¢. Hogs—Philadelphia, \$5 50¢@5 25¢; Yorkers, \$5 30¢@5 35¢; grassers, \$5 30¢@5 30¢; roughs, \$4 00¢@5 00¢. Sheep—Extra, \$3 50¢@3 75¢; good, \$3 10¢@3 50¢; fair, \$2 25¢@2 75¢; lambs, \$2 50¢@4 00¢.

Chicago.

Hogs—Select heavy and prime butchers, \$5 30¢@5 55¢; packers, \$5 10¢@5 40¢; light mixed, \$5 30¢@5 25¢; assorted light, \$5 25¢@5 30¢; common and rough, \$4 75¢@5 10¢. Cattle—Prime to extra, \$4 00¢@5 10¢; common to fair, \$3 00¢@3 90¢; stockers, \$1 75¢@3 25¢; cows, \$1 75¢@3 00¢; bulls, \$2 00¢@3 25¢. Sheep—\$2 75¢@4 25¢. Lambs—\$3 00¢@5 25¢.

New York.

Wheat—63¢@65¢. Corn—47¢@48¢. Oats—Western, 30¢@35¢. Cattle—\$2 00¢@5 00¢. Sheep—\$3 00¢@4 50¢. Lambs—\$4 00¢@6 25¢.

## Maysville Retail Market.

GREEN COFFEE—#3 lb. 23¢@25¢. MOLASSES—new crop, #1 gallon 60¢. Golden Syrup, #1 lb. 35¢@40¢. Sorghum, fancy new, #1 lb. 53¢@54¢. SUGAR—Yellow, #1 lb. 53¢@54¢. Extra C, #1 lb. 51¢@52¢. A, #1 lb. 50¢@51¢. Granulated, #1 lb. 50¢@51¢. Powdered, #1 lb. 50¢@51¢. New Orleans, #1 lb. 50¢@51¢. TEAS—#1 lb. 50¢@1 00¢. COAL OIL—Headlight, #1 gallon 35¢. BACON—Breakfast, #1 lb. 15¢@16¢. Clear sides, #1 lb. 13¢@14¢. Hams, #1 lb. 16¢@17¢. Shoulders, #1 lb. 10¢@12¢. BEANS—#1 gallon 35¢@40¢. BUTTER—#1 lb. 20¢@22¢. CHICKENS—Each 20¢@30¢. EGGS—#1 dozen 10¢. FLOUR—Limestone, #1 barrel 45¢. Old Gold, #1 barrel 45¢. Maysville Fancy, #1 barrel 37¢. Mason County, #1 barrel 37¢. Morning Glory, #1 barrel 37¢. Roller King, #1 barrel 45¢. Magnolia, #1 barrel 45¢. Blue Grass, #1 barrel 37¢. Graham, #1 sack 15¢@20¢. HONEY—#1 lb. 15¢@20¢. HOMINY—#1 gallon 20¢. MEAL—#1 peck 12¢@12½¢. LARD—#1 pound 12¢@12½¢. ONIONS—#1 peck 40¢. POTATOES—#1 peck, new 41¢. APPLES—#1 peck 30¢@40¢.



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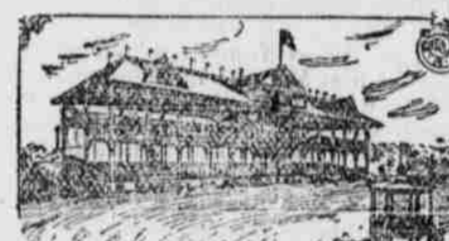
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